SPECIAL SESSION MINUTES College Park City Council Tuesday, April 5, 2022 7:38 p.m.

PRESENT: Mayor Wojahn; Councilmembers Kabir, Kennedy, Esters, Whitney,

Adams, Rigg, Mackie and Mitchell.

ABSENT: None.

ALSO PRESENT: Kenneth Young, City Manager; Bill Gardiner, Assistant City Manager;

Janeen S. Miller, City Clerk; Suellen Ferguson, City Attorney; Terry Schum, Director of Planning; Bob Ryan, Director of Public Services; Gary Fields, Director of Finance; Michael Williams, Economic Development Manager; Felicia Hutchinson, Community Development Planner; Megha

Sevalia, Student Liaison.

During the regularly scheduled Worksession on April 5, 2022, a motion was made by Councilmember Esters and seconded by Councilmember Mackie to enter into a Special Session to make appointments to the Restorative Justice Commission. The Special Session was listed on the meeting agenda. The motion passed 8-0 and the Special Session commenced at 7:38 p.m.

ACTION ITEM

22-G-61 Appointments to the Restorative Justice Commission

A motion was made by Councilmember Whitney and seconded by Councilmember Mitchell to appoint the following individuals to the Restorative Justice Commission: Isabella Alcaniz, Zabrina Anzyl, Karin Brown, Carrington Carter, Robert Catlin, Jill Clements, Andrew Fellows, Maxine Gross, Violetta Sharps Jones, Rashard McCreary, James McShay, Nikki Pancho, Petrella Robinson, Ian Rowe, Courtnie Thurston, Robert Thurston, Marcques Washington, Jody Wildy, Wendi Williams, Patrick Wojahn.

[The meeting was recessed to address technical problems with Zoom.]

Comments from the Audience:

Maxine Gross, Lakeland Resident and member of the RJC: Wants to ensure that the appointees are personally committed to the concept of restorative justice for the Lakeland Community and that the majority of the individuals are connected to Lakeland. It is important that the right people are at the table for this process. It is too important not to be sure that we are going about this in the right way.

Mayor Wojahn described the recruitment and application process and said we will make sure that the full Lakeland Community has a part of this process.

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Councilmember Mitchell is proud of the Council for taking this step, and is confident that the individuals we are appointing tonight will move us forward in a way that is respectful of the Lakeland Community.

The motion passed 8-0.

Adjourn Special Session : at 8:00 p.m., motion by Councilmember Mackie, second by Councilmember Kabir, passed 8-0.
Janeen S Miller, City Clerk